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SUBJECT: JAPANESE PRESS REPORTING ON TOGO CONSULTATIONS AND  
POSSIBLE FUKUDA VISIT TO US

1. TOKYO SHIMBUN HAS REPORTED FOLLOWING COMMENTS OF  
AMBASSADOR TOGO, HOME FROM WASHINGTON ON CONSULTATION, AT  
FONOFF PRESS CONFERENCE JANUARY 10:

--IT APPEARS THAT NEW CARTER ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT  
YET DECIDED UPON SPECIFIC POLICIES IN REGARD TO EITHER  
US-PRC NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS OR SOUTH KOREAN  
PROBLEMS.

--"IT IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN SPECIFIC PROBLEM OF  
US TROOP WITHDRAWAL FROM ROK TO HAVE US UNDERSTAND WHY  
JAPAN AND OTHER FREE NATIONS OF ASIA ATTACH SUCH IMPOR-  
TANCE TO THEIR RELATIONS WITH US."

--THE US APPARENTLY WISHES TO HOLD SUMMIT CONFERENCE  
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OF ADVANCED NATIONS ONLY AFTER PERIOD OF SOME PREPARATION.  
ACCORDINGLY, IT IS UNLIKELY THIS SUMMIT WOULD BE HELD  
DURING FEBRUARY OR MARCH.

2. FOLLOWING TOGO'S MEETING WITH PRIMIN FUKUDA AND  
FONMIN HATOYAMA ON JANUARY 10, NIHON KEIZAI FRONT-PAGED  
REMARKS OF UNIDENTIFIED GOJ SPOKESMAN THAT NEGOTIATIONS

WITH US ON EARLY FUKUDA VISIT TO US WOULD BEGIN SOON.  
SPOKESMAN STRESSED FUKUDA'S DESIRE TO MEET WITH  
PRESIDENT CARTER "AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE TIME," PERHAPS  
IN LATE MARCH. PRIMIN'S STAY IN US MIGHT LAST ONE WEEK.  
MAJOR TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION WITH US PRESIDENT WOULD  
LIKELY INCLUDE BILATERAL ISSUES, JAPAN-PRC RELATIONS  
AND US TROOP WITHDRAWAL FROM ROK.  
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